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FM AMEMBASSY DAR ES SALAAM  
TO SECSTATE WASHDC IMMEDIATE 5071  
USMISSION USUN NEW YORK IMMEDIATE  
AMEMBASSY PARIS IMMEDIATE  
INFO AMEMBASSY BUJUMBURA  
AMEMBASSY KINSHASA  
AMEMBASSY ADDIS ABABA  
AMEMBASSY CAIRO  
AMEMBASSY BRUSSELS  
AMEMBASSY KAMPALA  
AMEMBASSY NAIROBI  
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AMEMBASSY OTTAWA  
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E.O. 12356: DECL:OADR  
TAGS: PREL, RW, FR, TZ  
SUBJECT: FRENCH INITIATIVE ON RWANDA: TANZANIA  
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1. CONFIDENTIAL -- ENTIRE TEXT.

2. CHARGE MET WITH AMBASSADOR LWENO, HEAD OF THE  
MFA'S AFRICA AND MIDDLE EAST DEPARTMENT, TO PRESENT  
DEMARCHÉ ON FRENCH INITIATIVE ON RWANDA PER REF  
REQUEST. AFTER HEARING POINTS MADE BY CHARGE, LWENO  
RESPONDED THAT THE GOT AGREES THAT STOPPING THE  
KILLING IN RWANDA IS A TOP PRIORITY. HE, HOWEVER,

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BEGGED OFF FROM GOING BEYOND THIS STATED POSITION. HE INFORMED CHARGE THAT SENIOR MFA OFFICIALS WERE EVEN THEN MEETING TO FORMULATE THE OFFICIAL GOT REACTION TO THE FRENCH INITIATIVE. THESE MFA CONSULTATIONS HAD BEEN INITIATED FOLLOWING AN URGENT MESSAGE FROM TANZANIA'S PERMREP IN NEW YORK REQUESTING GOT INSTRUCTIONS IN LIGHT OF THE UPCOMING UNSC VOTE.

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3. LWENO FURTHER INFORMED CHARGE THAT THE FRENCH HAD NOT APPROACHED THE MFA CONCERNING THE INITIATIVE. THE MFA HAD ONLY RECEIVED A COPY OF A STATEMENT MADE BY THE FRENCH FONMIN ON THE SUBJECT. THE STATEMENT HAD BEEN FORWARDED TO DAR BY TANZANIA'S EMBASSY IN PARIS.

4. CHARGE REITERATED THE PRESSING NEED TO SUPPORT THE FRENCH. LWENO ASSURED CHARGE HE WOULD IMMEDIATELY CONVEY THE USG POSITION TO HIS SUPERIORS AND WOULD GET BACK TO THE EMBASSY.

5. NOTE: BY THE END OF THE DAY, HOWEVER, WE HAD NOT HEARD FROM THE MFA. WE ANTICIPATE THE RESPONSE WILL  
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BE FORTHCOMING AND WE WILL NOTIFY DEPARTMENT  
ACCORDINGLY.

6. MINIMIZE CONSIDERED.

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